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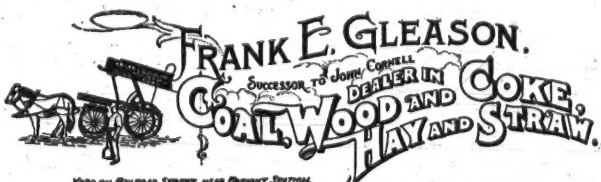
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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Did you feel the earthquake?

Grange meeting next Tuesday evening. Ballows'en and box party.

Edward Lawson has entered the employ of Louise S. Goldsmith & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stiles returned Sunday from a visit to New York and Albany.

C. J. R. Humphries of Lawrence has bought the house on Main street formerly owned by John H. Dean.

George A. Parker has moved his real estate office into J. H. Playdon's flower store in the Arco building.

Jerome W. Cross has his office now in the Arco building where he will be pleased to receive customers.

Mr. G. K. Cutler of the purchasing dept. of the American Woolen Co., is enjoying a few days' vacation.

Several Andover people attended the concert held in Flint Memorial Hall, last Friday evening, in North Reading.

One of the bulletin boards at the Memorial Hall library has a suggestive list of books on Halloween customs and games.

Arthur B. Howell left Wednesday for Silver Lake, Kansas, where he will visit his brother George, before going on to Montana.

The Juniors challenge any team in or around Boston. For information write to Robert Hume, 34 Shawheen Road, Andover, Mass.

Rev. Frank Peyton, lately secretary of the General Association of Oklahoma, will be the preacher in the West Parish church on Sunday.

The following real estate transfer was recorded in the Lawrence Registry of Deeds last week: Isabella W. May to Charles F. Donovan, \$1.

The preacher at the Seminary church next Sunday at both morning and afternoon services will be the Rev. Frank S. Hunnewell of Reading.

Two of the bearers at the funeral of Horace H. Tyler, whose names were omitted last week, were Frederick P. Hynes and John T. Cole.

Mrs. Arthur T. Boutwell and daughter Rachel left Wednesday for Oswego, N. Y., where they will spend several weeks with the former's father.

Harvest Sunday will be observed in the Free church next Sunday with appropriate exercises and decorations. In the evening a concert will be held.

Mrs. Wears will re-open her adult dancing class in Pilgrim Hall next Monday evening, when she will be pleased to receive her old pupils with their friends.

The annual inspection of Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett Relief Corps will take place Nov. 12. Dept. Sen. Vice Pres. Mrs. Sue Stuart Wadworth will inspect the work.

Miss Nancy Folger of Nantucket has been visiting friends in town and is on her way to Minneapolis, to resume her duties as principal of a large school in that city.

Walter I. Morse has another monstrosity in his window this week in the shape of an immense sunflower gone to seed. The blossom measures 16 1-2 inches across.

The Woman's Club of Andover Grange are to hold a sale of cake, home candy, aprons and fancy work, early in December. Each member is earnestly requested to contribute an article of fancy work for this sale.

At a meeting of the Registrars of Voters held last Monday night the following names were added to the voting list, Elliott George Abbott, Roy H. Bradford, Jerome W. Cross, William P. Fisher, all of Precinct 1.

Andover Grange furnished part of the entertainment at Visitor's night at North Andover Grange Tuesday evening, their offering being a farce, "Harmless Flirtation," Miss Madeline Hewes and James Abbott taking the parts.

The Andover Juniors Association football team will travel to Quincy on Saturday, the 26th, to play the Quincy Juniors. As both teams are great rivals a good game is expected. Andover will travel with their strongest team. The line-up will appear later.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held at the Parish House next Thursday afternoon, October 24th at 3 o'clock. After a short service there will be reports, election of officers and other business, followed by afternoon tea. All women of the Parish are invited.

About seven o'clock on Tuesday evening residents in Andover were startled by a rumbling sound which lasted about three seconds. Different theories were immediately made about what it might be but it was soon learned that a slight earthquake had visited the Merrimack valley, being felt in surrounding cities and towns, to a much greater degree than in Andover. Doors and windows rattled and dishes were thrown from the shelves in other places while in Everett the shock was violent enough to throw a child out of bed. Andover, however, suffered very little, the rumbling being more like the sound of a heavy team and lasting but a very short time.

No one who enjoys a hearty laugh, ought to miss Beatrice Herford.

Mrs. W. H. Haskell, of Springfield, Vermont, is visiting her brother, H. F. Chase.

James Fee is painting the house on Washington avenue occupied by Mrs. H. H. Hill.

O. P. Chase returned yesterday from Springfield, Vt., where he has been on a business trip.

Rev. Thomas L. Cole, of Newton, will deliver the sermon at Christ church next Sunday morning.

Beatrice Herford created the monologues as a form of entertainment. She has many followers and imitators, but no equals.

P. W. Partridge, who has been confined to his home on Pine street suffering from an injury to his leg, is able to be about again.

At a meeting of the Selectmen held recently, it was voted not to allow the Boston & Northern St. R. R. to be a common carrier of packages in Andover.

Work commenced Wednesday on the new bridge over the railroad tracks on No. Main street, which the Boston & Northern St. R. R. are building for their tracks.

As Beatrice Herford is in great demand in all large cities, the people of Andover must consider themselves fortunate, in having this fine opportunity to hear her.

A good view of Miss Herford is necessary as the expressions of her face and gestures play so large a part. Therefore all ladies are requested to be prepared to remove their hats.

All painters in town will have an opportunity to bid on the painting of the P. O. boxes located in different parts of Andover. There are twenty-two boxes, and bids must be in by Tuesday night. The paint will be furnished.

Mr. A. G. Labonte will reopen his classes in etiquette and dancing for Masters and Misses at Pilgrim Hall, Musgrove Block, Friday afternoon, Oct. 25th at 4 o'clock. Parents are cordially invited to attend with their children.

The last two opportunities for registration will be Wednesday, October 23rd, from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday, October 26th, from 12 m. to 10 p.m. in the town house. In Ballardvale the last opportunity for registration will be tonight from 7.30 to 9.30.

Beatrice Herford is the sister of the amusing Oliver Herford, whose rhymes are so well known. She has his gift for seizing upon the humorous situations, and presents them so cleverly to her hearers that there is a continuous smile during the whole entertainment.

Mrs. Isaac Hiltz, of Lawrence, Mass., N. S., and Mrs. M. J. Peabody, of Everett, visited at the residence of the latter's brother, David O. Whitman on Pine street this week. Mrs. Hiltz was an old schoolmate of Mr. Whitman's and one he has not seen for a number of years.

Local friends of Walter N. Kingman, whose card appears in another column, will be interested to learn of his success as a piano study specialist, the only one this side of Boston. He is a native of Andover, formerly residing on Morton street, and now has a family of three lively children, besides his wife and mother.

The association football team will go to Brighton tomorrow to play the Riverdales of that place. Andover's team will be: Goal, Munro; backs, W. Black, W. Matthew; half backs, Sterling, Muir, R. Anderson; forwards, Falconer, A. Black, Adams, E. Anderson and Ross. Reserves, Clark and Fairweather. The team will leave Andover at 12.53.

The Home Department of the South church Bible school will hold a sociable and tea in the parlor of the church on next Friday afternoon, Oct. 25, at 3.30. Rev. F. S. Hunnewell of Reading will be present and will repeat the address on "Bible Study," which proved helpful to the State Sunday-school convention in Lowell a week ago. All who would like to join this large class of Bible students are invited, with the members, to the "Tea."

The date of the lecture by Joseph Linden Smith in Abbot Hall, has been changed from November 9 to November 16.

There will be a rehearsal of the officers of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge after the regular meeting next Monday evening.

Souvenir booklets of the Laying of the Cornerstones of the Free church are on sale at the Bookstore. The number is limited and early applications will be wise.

Superintendent of Schools Corwin F. Palmer is at Worcester today attending a session of the Massachusetts Superintendents Association. He speaks on School Hygiene.

The ladies' foreign missionary society of the Seminary church will meet in Bartlet chapel next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Subject, a part of the first chapter of Gloria Christi.

The preacher at the evening service in the South church on Sunday night will be Rev. Herbert W. Lathrop of San Diego, Cal. Mr. Lathrop was in the Seminary class of 1877. Former friends will be glad to hear one who has spent most of his professional life since Seminary days on the other side of the country.

A rather unique greeting was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster of Summer street yesterday morning, the occasion being the birthday of both husband and wife. All the neighbors assembled at the front door at seven o'clock and with waving of flags and cheering wished the couple many happy returns of the day.

The Lawrence Y. W. C. A. is offering at their building, 34 Lawrence street, very attractive classes this season. Each class has one lesson a week at the rate of \$1.25 for a term of five lessons. There will be afternoon and evening classes in dressmaking, Mondays and Thursdays and an afternoon class on Wednesday; embroidery class on Monday evening; French, Tuesday evening; German, Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon; pressed leather work, Wednesday evening; millinery, cooking and literature on Thursday evening; drawing, India ink and pencil work, Monday, and water color painting Saturday afternoons at 2.30. Gymnasium classes for beginners will be formed on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, \$2 for ten lessons. On Mondays there will be a choral class conducted by Miss Katherine Crockett of Boston, who will make the class educational by giving talks on music and its development and directing the singing of three and four part songs arranged for women's voices. Pupils wishing to enter any of these classes should register at once.

Punchard Notes

The semi-finals for the Goldsmith Prize Speaking come off next Monday. Those chosen from the different classes are: Seniors, Roy Hardy, Alex. Morrison, Ethel Hitchcock, Helen Davies; Juniors, Harold Taylor, Floyd Eastman, Mira Wilson, Edith Whitman; Sophomores, Raymond McIntosh, Ernest Johnson, Margaret English, Margaret Rogers; Freshmen, Reginald Clutter, Stanwood Morrill, Mary Erving, Lois Spickler.

A meeting of the school was held recently to choose editors for the *Ensign* but the result has not yet been decided upon as there are some vacancies to be filled.

The girls held a mass meeting on Wednesday for the purpose of athletics.

Punchard plays Pinkerton Academy at Derry, N. H., today.

A goodly number of friends of the Methuen football team accompanied that organization on Tuesday when they played the local high school in football.

Birth.

In Andover, Sunday, October 13, a son to Dr. and Mrs. Hiland F. Hoyt.

On Sunday, October 13, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Markey, Pearson street.

On Tuesday, October 15, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Red Spring Road.

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It was thought that possibly these vast loans which officials of the Standard could not explain might conceal the purchase of ostensible rivals.

On a preceding day the spectacle was presented of the head of an oil company reputed to be a competitor of the Standard, the New York Lubricating Oil company, refusing on cross examination to put in the hands of the Standard counsel the private papers and original contracts of the firm. He said he would not thus put in jeopardy information which could be used against his concern. The fact was brought out here that all the big railroads pay from \$30,000 to \$100,000 more for their lubricants bought of the Standard than would be the cost at the rates charged by the independent company. A complete balance sheet and income account of the oil trust were made public for the first time. They showed that, while the company paid \$40,000,000 in dividends last year, more than \$88,000,000 was carried in the income account, leaving a surplus of nearly \$44,000,000. This made a total surplus of \$261,000,000. The balance sheet shows total assets about \$371,064,532. The value of the various subsidiary companies is given. Records of the liquidating trustees were introduced to show that the dissolution of the trust, which occurred ostensibly in 1892, never occurred.

Tobacco Trust Makes Answer.

The American Tobacco company has filed its answer in the suit begun by the United States government last July. The answer of the trust and of the codefendants, including Thomas F. Ryan, James B. Duke, Oliver H. Payne and Anthony N. Brady, directors, is that, while the trust has combined many companies and interests into one, it has no power to control the industry in which it engages. The trust holds that so long as brands of cigars remain in existence competition cannot be destroyed, because it is a struggle between brands and not between factories. It holds that brands have their strength in the fact that tobacco is a luxury, the consumer desiring only that his taste shall be satisfied. The trust denies that the United Cigar Stores company, which aims to monopolize the retail trade, was started by the American Tobacco company. It credits this vast retail business to George J. Whalen and associates and says that they entered the field in spite of the opposition of the trust. It is admitted that now the trust owns \$600,000 out of \$900,000 worth of stock in the United Cigar Stores company.

Moffett's Charges Unsustained.

The examination of President James A. Moffett of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana by the federal grand jury at Chicago resulted in a complete failure to show any shipper who received rebates from the Alton railway similar to those granted to the Standard Oil company. The jury was then dismissed.

Frank Marrin Convicted.

The prime mover in the Storey Cotton company swindle, with headquarters in Philadelphia, which was exposed and put out of business more than two years ago, has now been brought to justice. Frank C. Marrin, alias "Judge" Franklin Stone, after an extended trial has been found guilty of using the mails for fraudulent purposes. The maximum penalty is \$30,000 or two years in prison, or both.

Christian Scientists Convicted. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Watson Christian Scientists of Mount Holly N. J., were convicted of manslaughter in having neglected to call a physician for the treatment of their three-year-old son, who died of meningitis. The extreme penalty is fifteen years' imprisonment, but the attorneys for the accused persons assert that they will carry the case to the highest court necessary.

POLITICAL

Massachusetts Democrats Split.

Massachusetts failed to get together in the customary state convention at Springfield, and in consequence two candidates for governor were nominated by different factions. Charles Barrett was nominated by the regular convention and Henry M. Whitney by the bolting faction. The question as to which ticket will be placed on the official ballot will be determined by the state ballot law committee and by the courts. The friends of Whitney charge the regulars with high handed and violent methods in controlling the convention. District Attorney Moran of Boston was turned down, his assistant, Dennison being nominated.

Hearst-Republican Fusion.

Fusion has been arranged in the New York city local contest between the Independence league and the Republicans. It includes the nomination of Ihmsen, Hearst's political manager, for sheriff.

Governors For All Waterways.

The formal expression of the views of the seventeen governors who accompanied President Roosevelt at Memphis last week was made in a resolution which declares that "waterway regulation is rate regulation" and that consequently they favor the improvement of all waterways of this country and that these improvements ought to be placed on a continuing basis. They favor also the digging of a deep waterway channel from the lakes to the

KEEPING TAB ON THE WORLD

New York Traction Investigation Strikes "Pay Dirt" in the Testimony of McDonald and Brady, Disclosing Criminal Stock Juggling and Looting in Interests of Ryan and His Associates. Standard Oil's Big Loans a Bookkeeping Mystery—Hearst-Republican Fusion in New York. Massachusetts Democrats Split—States May Not Aid Immigration—Lusitania Breaks All Ocean Records—Harriman Holds Union Pacific—China Welcomes Taft—Tufts to Quit Coeducation.

LEGAL-CRIMINAL

New York Traction Revelations.

John B. McDonald, the man who built the first New York subway, was the first of a series of important witnesses before the public service commission, which has continued its investigation of the Belmont-Ryan traction combine. He admitted that he had been paid \$280,000 by Thomas F. Ryan and his associates for the abrogation of a contract which he had entered to build additional subways and that he was to receive, besides, an annual payment of \$50,000 for five years. Thus had his scheme for a New York and New Jersey tunnel, with system of transfers for the benefit of the public, been put to sleep.

The testimony of Anthony N. Brady, partner of Thomas F. Ryan, was an amazing confession of financial jugglery in which large sums of money paid to different persons for unnamed services were carried on the Metropolitan books as assets. Counsel Ivins had in his possession a check for \$965,007, which the Metropolitan company had given to Brady, ostensibly in payment for a franchise for a Wall and Cortlandt street ferries railway, notwithstanding that Brady testified that he received only \$250,000 for that franchise. Brady admitted that the larger check was sent to him with a separate memorandum directing him to write his personal checks so as to divide the \$715,007 balance between Messrs. Ryan, Whitney, Widener, Dolan and Elkins.

On the same day Mr. Ivins traced directly into the hands of Thomas F. Ryan checks to the amount of \$50,000 for which Ryan had never accounted. These checks are indorsed in Ryan's own handwriting. H. H. Vreeland, president of the company, was shown to have drawn \$300,000 above his salary in the last ten years, of which more than \$180,000 was not accounted for at all.

The three Philadelphia parties to the deal, Widener, Dolan and R. T. Bower, representing the Elkins estate, gave out a statement intended to explain their share in the profits of the transaction. This is that the identical payments represented in the Brady checks constituted the repayments of loans made to William C. Whitney, with interest. The curious feature of this explanation, however, which has attracted attention, is the similarity of the amount and the similarity of the explanation. As Mr. Whitney is dead no one is able to say whether his share is also for a loan which he had made to himself.

Another sensational point brought out in the Metropolitan investigation was the discovery that Thomas F. Ryan had contributed \$15,000 toward the expenses of the National Civic federation committee which went to Europe to study the problem of municipal ownership and which recently reported in favor of legalized monopoly. Counsel Ivins has in his possession three checks to the order of August Belmont for \$5,000 each, drawn by the Metropolitan company and used by Belmont to pay the expenses of the committee. In his letter calling for the last \$5,000 Mr. Belmont said, "The work, as far as I understand it, is very satisfactory."

Tracing Oil Trust Loans.

In the course of the Standard Oil hearing before Referee Ferris at New York Government Counsel Kellogg brought to light the fact loans aggregating \$32,761,700 were made last year by the Standard Oil Company of New York to outside interests, but which Vice President Tilford of the oil trust could not remember about. The evidence of these loans was found in a last year's balance sheet, which was produced in court. When asked directly what this account meant Tilford replied bluntly, "I do not know," or "I cannot recall." To secure this information the treasurer of the company, W. G. Rockefeller, son of William, the brother of John, was subpoenaed.

ANDOVER CHURCHES

South Church Congregational Central St., Organized 1711. Frank R. Shipman, Pastor.

SUNDAY, OCT. 20.

10.30 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow. 1.30 p.m. Junior V.P.S.C.E. 6.30 p.m. Senior V.P.S.C.E. 7.30 p.m. Evening worship, sermon by Rev. Herbert W. Lathrop, San Diego, Cal. Wednesday, 7.45 p.m. Prayer Meeting. Thursday, 3.30 p.m. Sewing meeting, Women's Union. Friday, 3.30 p.m. Social and tea of the Home Department. Address by Rev. F. S. Hunnewell of Reading.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street Organized 1838. Rev. Frederic Palmer Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 20

10.30 a.m. Morning prayer with sermon by the Rev. Thomas L. Cole of Newton. 11.00 a.m. Sunday School. 7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer with sermon by the Rev. Mr. Cole. Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Girls' Friendly Society. Thursday, 3.00 p.m. Annual meeting of Woman's Guild.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor.

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Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St. Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

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Sermon Church, "On the Hill," Organized 1865. Connected with Andover Theological Seminary. The Seminary Professors, Pastors.

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8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction, Sunday-school following. 10.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon. 1.30 p.m. Vespers.

First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality. Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for the children. Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

A Sense of Duty. Just before the boat capsized Rees had been boasting of his "practical common sense."

"I am nothing if not a man of practical common sense," he averred. "When there is a difficulty to be solved Rees is the man to solve it." Then when the boat sank Rees' fellow excursionist, John Jones, found that the plank to which both clung was unequal to the support of their united weight. At this juncture he remembered his companion's boast.

"Prove yewer practical common sense now, Rees," he pleaded, with true Welsh eloquence. "Eu are a single man, with nobody dependent on eu. I am married an' got six shilidran. If eu drowns nobody do suffer. But if I do drown then there iss my walfie an' six likkle shilidran to starve, an' yewer practical common sense do tell eu that it iss better for eu to drown than me. Prove yewer practical common sense, Rees, an' let go the plank—or I will push eu off it!"—Dundee Advertiser.

What He Had to Say. "Well, George, do you know it is 1 o'clock? What have you to say for yourself?"

"I did have s-s-somethin' to s-say, my dear, b-but you've gone an' s-scare'd it out of m-my head. Oh, I remember it n-now!"

"Well, what is it?"

"Good night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Family Jar. "The body of the late Major Jinks was cremated."

"What they goin' to do with it?"

"His widow has him corked up in a fruit jar. Says it's the last of the family jars."—Atlanta Constitution.

Overloaded. A United States senator had been inveighing at a dinner against long speeches.

"But, senator," said a congressman, "you can't accuse me of ever having made too long a speech, can you?"

The senator smiled.

"Perhaps not," he said, "and again—but did you ever hear about the temperance lecturer? No?"

"Well, you must know that there was a temperance lecturer in Maine who visited Ellsworth and lectured. He hit out pretty hard from the shoulder at these so-called moderate drinkers, and at the end of his remarks an Ellsworth man took him aside and said in an aggrieved tone:

"Look here, Jim, I am a moderate drinker, as all the town knows, and to many people it is going to seem as if a good part of your lecture was pointed straight at me. What did you want to do it for, Jim? You never saw me with more on board than I could carry."

"What's that?" said the temperance lecturer.

"You never saw me with a bigger load than I could carry, did you?"

"The lecturer frowned.

"Well, no," he said slowly, "but I have seen you when I thought you'd done better to go twice for it."

How He Judged.

First Man—Writing must have been very expensive in the middle ages. They used feathers for pens. Second Man—Why should they be expensive? First Man—Well, I was only judging from my wife's hats.

Nearsighted.

Ellis—I have seen twenty-two summers.

Stella—I wish I were as nearsighted as you are.—Illustrated Bits.

Scott's Emulsion strengthens enfeebled nursing mothers by increasing their flesh and nerve force.

It provides baby with the necessary fat and mineral food for healthy growth.

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West Parish Congregational Church. Organized 1836. J. Edgar Park, Pastor.

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H Baptist Church, cor. of Kansas and Central Sts., Organized 1832. Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor.

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"Prove yewer practical common sense now, Rees," he pleaded, with true Welsh eloquence. "Eu are a single man, with nobody dependent on eu. I am married an' got six shilidran. If eu drowns nobody do suffer. But if I do drown then there iss my walfie an' six likkle shilidran to starve, an' yewer practical common sense do tell eu that it iss better for eu to drown than me. Prove yewer practical common sense, Rees, an' let go the plank—or I will push eu off it!"—Dundee Advertiser.

What He Had to Say. "Well, George, do you know it is 1 o'clock? What have you to say for yourself?"

"I did have s-s-somethin' to s-say, my dear, b-but you've gone an' s-scare'd it out of m-my head. Oh, I remember it n-now!"

"Well, what is it?"

"Good night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Family Jar. "The body of the late Major Jinks was cremated."

"What they goin' to do with it?"

"His widow has him corked up in a fruit jar. Says it's the last of the family jars."—Atlanta Constitution.

Overloaded. A United States senator had been inveighing at a dinner against long speeches.

"But, senator," said a congressman, "you can't accuse me of ever having made too long a speech, can you?"

The senator smiled.

"Perhaps not," he said, "and again—but did you ever hear about the temperance lecturer? No?"

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"Look here, Jim, I am a moderate drinker, as all the town knows, and to many people it is going to seem as if a good part of your lecture was pointed straight at me. What did you want to do it for, Jim? You never saw me with more on board than I could carry."

"What's that?" said the temperance lecturer.

"You never saw me with a bigger load than I could carry, did you?"

"The lecturer frowned.

"Well, no," he said slowly, "but I have seen you when I thought you'd done better to go twice for it."

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First Man—Writing must have been very expensive in the middle ages. They used feathers for pens. Second Man—Why should they be expensive? First Man—Well, I was only judging from my wife's hats.

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(Change at Lawrence for Lowell, Methuen and points on Southern New Hampshire road. Cars leave for Lowell 10 m. before and 20 m. past the hour.)

Lv. Andover Hill—for Reading—6 a.m. and every 30 m. until 11.00 p.m. Sunday, first car 7.30 a.m.

Lv. Andover Square—for Lawrence—5.37 a.m. and every 30 m. until 12.37 m., then every 15 m. until 11.37 p.m. Sunday, first car 7.37 a.m.

Lv. Andover Square—for Reading—5.50 a.m. and every 30 m. until 10.50 p.m. Sunday, first car 7.23 a.m.

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Haverhill Division—

Lv. Haverhill Transfer—for Andover—5.30 a.m. and every 30 m. until 10.30 p.m. Sunday, first car at 7.30 a.m.

Lv. Andover Square—for Haverhill (via North Andover and Bradford)—6.15 a.m., 7.15 a.m. and every 30 m. until 11.15 p.m. Sunday, first car at 8.15 a.m.

(Change at Wilson's Corner for Danvers and Salem. Cars leave Wilson's Corner, 7 m. past and 37 m. of the hour for Salem. Returning cars leave Salem at 15 m. past and 15 m. of the hour, arriving at Wilson's Corner at 7 m. of and 23 m. past the hour.)

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Lawrence Division—

Lv. Lawrence Transfer—for Andover—5.00 a.m. and every 30 m. until 12 m., then every 15 m. until 11.00 p.m. Sunday, first car 7 a.m.

Lv. Reading—for Andover—6.00 a.m. and every 30 m. until 11.00 p.m. Sunday, first car 7 a.m.

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J. TYLER KIMBALL, Administrator. Andover, Mass. October 8th, 1907.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Clara A. Nason, late of Andover, in said County of Essex, (wife of Benjamin F. Nason), deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Benjamin F. Nason, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem, in said County of Essex, on the twenty-first day of October, A. D. 1907, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be on day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven.

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gulf through the Des Plaines, Illinois, and Mississippi rivers large enough to admit the passage of ocean going vessels. Congress is asked to take speedy action to this end.

Boston Legislators Indicted.

The grand jury at Boston has indicted two state senators, Bromberg and McLeod, Representative McDonald, a former representative and two aldermen on the charge that they solicited employment from the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for their friends, this being believed to be contrary to the law passed by the legislature of 1903 forbidding such solicitation. All of the men pleaded guilty and were released on \$1,000 bail each.

EXECUTIVE

States Cannot Aid Immigration.

Attorney General Bonaparte has rendered an opinion to the effect that the action of a state in furnishing financial assistance or giving promise of employment to secure immigration is a violation of the immigration laws, under which the state is in precisely the same standing as an individual. The occasion of this opinion was the case of one Gerolamo Garcia, who came to New Orleans from Cuba, his passage money having been paid by the Louisiana state board of agriculture and immigration. He had also been given assurance that employment as a farm laborer would be secured for him, and he had promised to return to the state the money advanced for his passage.

Army Officers Stand Test.

In the first test of horseanship and endurance in the saddle which President Roosevelt recently ordered for army officers held near Washington all of the participants stood the ordeal successfully.

COMMERCIAL

Harriman Holds on to U. P.

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Union Pacific railroad at Salt Lake City resulted in a complete triumph for the Harriman ticket, although there was a protesting minority at the meeting. For the first time in years the minutes of the executive committee were read, giving an idea of what the management had done. They showed that in February a deal had been made to purchase a large block of stock of the Railway Securities company had from Stuyvesant Fish, thus clinching Harriman's hold on the Illinois Central, of which the former is a holding company. The Union Pacific has also made large purchases in Washington and British Columbia containing coal deposits. The financial statement of the entire system showed net earnings of \$2,743,000, an increase of \$3,308,000 over the previous year. This does not include receipts from stock holdings amounting to \$11,508,000.

Report of Western Union.

The annual report of the Western Union Telegraph company shows an increase of \$2,180,751 in revenues, the total of which were \$32,856,406. This was offset by an increase of \$2,927,124 in the expenses, bringing the net income down to \$36,234,210.

Steel Trust Breaks Record.

According to the Iron Age, steel production and consumption are still proceeding at a very high rate, the output of all works for September being 1,417,153 tons. On Oct. 2 the mills of the United States Steel corporation broke all records by producing 48,326 tons of ingots in a single day. The pig iron markets are dull.

Good Rock Island Earnings.

Advance copies of the financial statement of the Rock Island railroad show total earnings of \$60,238,420, an increase of \$9,000,562. Notwithstanding an increase of nearly \$6,000,000 in operating expenses the net earnings were \$19,194,278, an increase of \$3,023,478. The report calls attention to the fact that five states in which the road operates have enacted two cent rate laws, and other laws have reduced freight rates. This, says the report, has been due to a "misconception of the actual conditions."

Accidents and Dividends.

Much discussion has been caused by the report of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company for the last fiscal year, showing a deficit of over \$304,000, while during the same period the company paid damage claims for accidents to the amount of \$1,217,590, or 7 per cent of the gross receipts. This does not include the cost of the legal staff in defending suits. Commenting on these figures, Collier's says that "when traction companies throughout the country are compelled to choose between killings and dividends they will find ways to prevent the killings."

RELIGIOUS

Divorce Resolution Defeated.

The house of bishops of the general convention of the Episcopal church in session at Richmond, Va., has voted down the resolution offered by Bishop Doane of Albany which was designed to commit the church to the rule of denying marriage to any divorced person having husband or wife living. The men's offering to missions amounted to \$1,000,000.

Did Solomon Write Songs?

Professor Paul Haupt of the Johns Hopkins university of Baltimore, who has just completed his translation of the Song of Solomon from the original texts, asserts that this famous collection of poetical effusions was written fully 600 years after the reign of Solomon, which was in 950 B. C., and that it was written in the neighborhood of Damascus.

FOREIGN

Bebel Coming to America.

Dispatches from Berlin state that Herr Bebel, the leader of the German Socialists, will leave that city early next spring for a tour of the United States and Canada. While in America he will deliver a series of lectures on socialism and will study the organization of the labor unions, paying special attention to the coal and iron regions. He will also investigate the workings of the trusts, particularly their influence upon the condition of the working classes.

August Bebel.

Strike Breakers Not Working.

Reports from Havana indicate that the workmen who went to that city from New York to break the railroad strike have not gone to work. As Manager Orr of the United Railways claims that all trains are running and it will not be necessary to employ the New York men. The service of the Western railway is said to be still seriously affected.

Arbitration Plan Favored.

The arbitration committee of the peace conference at The Hague has voted in favor of the obligatory arbitration project, the vote standing 31 to 5. Germany and Austria were the only important governments whose delegates opposed the measure.

Taft Welcomed in China.

Secretary Taft and party reached Shanghai, China, en route to Manila, Oct. 8, and a noticeably hearty reception was given them by the Chinese and the foreign residents of the city. After assisting in the dedication of the local building of the Young Men's Christian association Mr. Taft was tendered a reception by the Chinese residents in a native garden, among his hosts being several high officials and prominent merchants representing many of the guilds formerly in the boycott movement against American manufactures; and speeches of welcome were made by several Chinese business men and a representative of the viceroy. The secretary replied briefly and at the close of his remarks was presented with a handsome silver punch bowl. In the evening the American residents gave a banquet to Mr. Taft, at which the foreign consuls and many business men were present. In an address delivered at this banquet the secretary referred to the deep interest of the United States in the Chinese trade and the open door policy. He also expressed much satisfaction in the improvement of our relations with China, a result which he attributed largely to the efforts of President Roosevelt. He also declared that the American government did not intend to sell the Philippines, adding that the only alternative to the present arrangement was independence.

King Edward's Deafness.

The fact that King Edward of England is growing deaf has but recently been made public. Attention has been drawn to it by the recent delivery at Buckingham palace of a set of instruments of American manufacture for overcoming the difficulty in a measure. These have been specially constructed in the richest and most elaborate manner and are used in connection with small electric batteries which may be concealed in the clothing. The instruments are said to be designed for the use of the queen also, she having been afflicted with deafness most of her life.

International Postage Stamps.

Dispatches from London state that 5,000,000 specimens of the new international stamp, adopted by the postal conference held at Rome in 1906, are now ready for distribution, and it is said that the postal authorities in the United States have already ordered 500,000, which are now on their way to America. The new stamp is practically a money order and can be redeemed for money at any postoffice all over the world. Its value is 5 cents.

SCIENTIFIC

Cold Over the Equator.

At the recent congress of German scientists Professor Hergesell of the Strassburg university said that balloon experiments had proved that the atmosphere at high altitudes is coldest over the equator and warmest over the poles. The balloons used in these experiments had automatic instruments attached and were unmanned. At the height of twelve and one-half miles the thermometer registered a temperature of 148 degrees below zero over the equator, while at the same altitude over central Europe the balloons registered only 70 to 85 degrees below zero.

Transmutation Now a Fact.

Professor Otto N. Witt of the Technical High school at Charlottenburg, Germany, an authority on radium experiments, now asserts that the latest experiments of Professor Ramsay show that under the influence of the energy contained in radium emanations well known elements, like copper, can now be converted into others just as well known. This proves that the ancient alchemists were on the right track. Four years ago Ramsay discovered that radium emanations changed to helium and later that this is the source of all the inactive elements.

Later Professor Boltwood of Yale

has shown that a new element exists in the uranium minerals where radium is found and which is the parent of radium. This new element gives off both alpha and beta radiations, produces no emanation and resembles thorium. Ionium is the name proposed for this substance.

Many Trees in Small Spaces.

In the Garden Magazine for October B. T. Barnes advances the opinion that the rapid spread of the San Jose scale and other tree enemies will bring about the adoption of dwarf varieties for the production of fruits, especially by the amateur fruit grower. The reasons he gives for this are the greater ease with which small trees may be treated with sprays for protection from enemies that feed upon the foliage and bark and the possibility of raising these trees in small yards, the earliest with which they come into bearing and the scantiness of their shade, thus leaving the ground available for small fruits and vegetables.

INDUSTRIAL

New Skyscraper Limit.

In the opinion of Ernest Flagg, architect of the new Singer building at New York, the tower of which is the highest building in the world for occupation, the probable limit of height for these buildings in New York city will be 1,000 feet, with a tower 100 feet square, or nearly 400 feet higher than the Singer building. Differing with the president of the New York fire underwriters, who recently warned the public that there was danger of a great conflagration in the upper stories of the tall buildings beyond the reach of existing fire fighting apparatus, Mr. Flagg says that the only limit is financial practicability. He insists that buildings of the type of the Singer are the safest as regards a roof top conflagration because of the space about the tower, which occupies only one-sixth of the lot space. Were all the skyscrapers constructed with the same proportion of space around the upper stories, he argues, the danger of a destructive fire in that upper region would be reduced to a minimum. Another point of limitation to which Mr. Flagg calls attention is the elevator service. He says one haul elevator can be constructed to cover 1,000 feet, but beyond that probably cannot be made effective. Those in the Singer building are of a new type, known as traction elevators, with the weight at the bottom and the motor at the top. They will make the forty story trip in a little less than one minute.

Lusitania Breaks All Records.

The Cunard line steamship Lusitania, which arrived in New York on the morning of Oct. 11 on her second westward voyage, surpassed all previous time records, having made the trip in 4 days and 20 hours. Her highest day's run was 617 knots, or 16 knots in excess of the highest previous record made by the Deutschland in 1901.

The Cotton Spinners' Congress.

Growers of cotton and manufacturers of cotton goods from seven different nations have met in convention at Atlanta, Ga., James R. Macoli of Providence, R. I., presiding. Among other reforms favored by the convention was the advocacy of a uniform bill of lading. President Macoli said that ways must be found to enable the planters to sell direct to the spinners without losing the profit of the middlemen.

Land Wireless at Work.

On Oct. 9 the Pacific Wireless Telegraph company inaugurated the service between Milwaukee and Chicago, and commercial messages are being accepted in both cities, the tariff being at the rate of twenty-five words for 25 cents. It is the intention of the company to establish stations at Indianapolis, Pittsburg, Wheeling and New York.

EDUCATIONAL

Census Reports on Schools.

In its annual report on the statistics of cities having a population of over 30,000 the census bureau presents a very interesting table showing the costs of maintaining free public schools, including in such costs the interests on investments in school buildings and grounds. These vary from 7 cents per capita in Charleston, S. C., and 22 cents in Atlanta, Ga., to \$1.33 in Denver, \$1.43 in Newton, Mass., and \$1.53 in Spokane, Wash.

School Dining Room.

The alumni association of Houston, Tex., has raised funds and established a dining room in the high school, which is one of the best of its kind in the country. This addition gives the students who are taking domestic science an opportunity not only to prepare the meals, but to serve them.

Tufts Against Coeducation.

President Hamilton of Tufts college, Boston, in his annual report strongly opposes the system of coeducation now in operation there. He calls attention to the fewer men in the arts courses, while other New England colleges have had to turn students away. He says that "the average young man will not go to a coeducational institution if other things are anywhere near equal." He thinks that the student who desires a general education as represented by the bachelor of arts degree very much prefers to go to an institution for men only. Dr. Hamilton does not desire Tufts to give up the work of educating women, but he believes they should be educated separately.

Exclude Italian Children.

Trouble is reported at Sumrall, Miss., growing out of opposition on the part of the natives to Italian children attending the white public school. The endeavor to shut the Italians out began some weeks ago. The state super-

tendent of education and the attorney general were appealed to, and they decided that the constitution provided for whites and negroes and did not catalogue Italians as a separate race. One of the leaders of the Italians who insisted on the rights of his people was taken beyond the town limits, soundly thrashed and ordered to desist in his efforts to get Italian children into the white schools. The anti-Italian sentiment is strong in Mississippi, and one of the candidates for governor made it the chief plank in his platform.

New System of Promotion.

According to a report of the Brookline (Mass.) Teachers' association as published in the Lawrence Telegram, there is a decided sentiment throughout the state favoring a system of promotion by subjects instead of grades in the secondary schools. It is also felt that a liberal education course should be devised to take fifteen years in its completion instead of ten years, as at present. The Telegram remarks that if the attempt to have the National Education association adopt this report is successful a change nothing short of revolutionary will soon be in force in our national educational system.

SOCIOLOGICAL

Saloons in Large Cities.

A census compilation recently made public shows that Cleveland and San Francisco lead all the other cities in the number of saloons as compared with the total population, the number in the former city being 3,177 and in the latter 3,280. New York had 10,766 licensed saloons, with 1,670 grocers and druggists authorized to sell liquor. Of the 198,256 arrests in New York, 52,316 were for intoxication.

Bernard Shaw Defends Polygamy.

The columns of the London Times have recently contained an animated correspondence on the subject of Kulin polygamy in India. The Brahman practitioners of this social theory believe that a woman should not be deprived of the duty and privilege of motherhood for mere lack of a husband. Sir George Birdwood, a noted authority on Indian affairs, wrote to the Times that the result of the peculiar practices referred to was an improvement in the race, the selection of fathers being on the principle of the best.

This aroused a storm of protest against what was denominated a "revolting and abhorrent" idea. Thereupon George Bernard Shaw took up the cudgels in defense of the Brahman practice, pointing out its advantages from a social and physiological standpoint over the conventionalisms of English society. In explaining the Brahman view he said, "The Bengalis hold that it is a part of the general purpose of things that women should bear children and that childlessness is a misfortune and even a disgrace."

MISCELLANEOUS

Tornado in Alabama.

A tornado that visited the vicinity of Leeds, Ala., Oct. 8 caused the death of about fifteen persons, who were hit by falling trees and timbers. The property damage was enormous.

Performing Lofty Task.

The crowds that thronged lower Broadway, New York, Oct. 10 were treated to the unusual sight of a man working at the top of the flagpole on the tower of the famous Singer building, 707 feet above the street level. At that distance his movements could hardly be discerned,

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The Coming Election.

The contests for office to be settled November 5, will with the decision of today by the Ballot Law Commission in Boston be definitely placed before the voters. Whoever succeeds in getting the decision so far as the Democratic nomination is concerned would seem to have little chance of election if one may judge from the comments that have been made about the condition of the Democratic party in the State because of the disgraceful affair at Springfield. So far as the head of the ticket is concerned, and in fact other State officers, it would seem to be pretty definitely settled two weeks before the election, that Governor Guild and his associates would be at the head of the State for another year.

Coming closer to our local affairs, the issue is already drawn in the Senatorial contest between the present incumbent, Hon. Joseph Donovan, a Republican, and a long time aspirant for the Democratic nomination Mr. Dennis E. Halley. Mr. Donovan has the advantage of holding the position at the present time and has made a record in the last Legislature that stamps him as an efficient and valuable member. Mr. Halley is a man who is held in high esteem by his associates, and will undoubtedly draw a full party vote in the district. The fight promises to be a close one, but the advantage would seem to be with the present incumbent.

The County contests have little to them at the present writing. The renomination of Dist. Attorney Peters has seemed to leave few scars throughout the county, and his reelection is assured. The voters have on three occasions already shown their regard for him and he may well take large pride in this latest opportunity for meeting again the people of Essex County as a candidate for their suffrages.

The candidate for County Commissioner is not so well known, but he has a splendid reputation as a business man, and those who do know him speak in the highest terms of his character and ability. There is practically no doubt of his election, and the Board of Commissioners will be strengthened by the election of Hon. John M. Grosvenor of Swampscott as a member of it.

One of the strongest factors in settling all the various contests is noticeable at the present in the apathy existing among the rank and file of the voters. This would seem to point to a very small vote on next election day, but matters may be stirred up considerably in the next two weeks.

Editorial Cinders.

The following pertinent bit has been handed to the editor by a friend:

"In spite of past experience We oftentimes forget, That when success our aim attends, The joy it causes, to our friends, Looks strangely like regret."

An Andover boy, and one in whom the people of Andover have taken a great interest for many years, promises to make a very interesting fight for the position of District Attorney of Suffolk County. It doesn't seem very many years ago since Joseph A. Dennison was one of the small boys on the streets of Andover with no particular prospects ahead of him, and those who remember him well and have followed his course, will supplement this early recollection with the future record of his work on the Phillips football team, his subsequent career at Harvard, and his rare success as a practicing attorney at the Suffolk bar. From this distance it is impossible to even suggest the result of that remarkable contest now underway in Suffolk County, but knowing the Andover boy who is in it and the successes he has made thus far, it is very safe to predict that he will have to be reckoned with by his opponents. Win or lose, Mr. Dennison's success at the bar is a matter of pride to a large host of friends that he may still count in Andover.

Lack of space prevented the story which we have had in shape about the new Arco Building, but we cannot overlook the establishment in it of one of the greatest conveniences that the town could have through the moving of the Telegraph office into the center of the town. Many citizens have already expressed their very great satisfaction over this improvement, and the public is bound to appreciate more and more the conveniences afforded by this central station.

It is good to welcome Dr. Conroy back into his active work, after passing through a serious operation which seems to have been successful. May good health hereafter attend and as the result of the serious illness which he has recently experienced.

TRIBUTES TO LATE H. H. TYER

Many Business Associates Pass Appropriate Resolutions Expressing High Regard

At Seminary Chapel.

Professor Hincks was the preacher at the Seminary Chapel last Sunday, and in an able sermon on true Christian service (from Mark 10:42-44), paid a beautiful tribute to our honored fellow-citizen, Mr. H. H. Tyer. He referred to Dr. Washington Gladden's recent characterization of American society as dominated by avowedly selfish aims in industry, in traffic, in politics, and as enthroning the principle of self-interest. But this, he said, is not the whole truth of the case. Business is not always transacted from selfish motives. Not all successful merchants and manufacturers give selfish interest the supreme place in conducting their affairs. Some great merchants have been shining examples of benevolence. Many and many a good man has so conducted a successful business as to make the spirit of righteousness and benevolence shine through his conduct. Such a man in our town we have lost, serving his fellow men faithfully and unostentatiously in his efficient management of large affairs, unselfish in business, as well as generous in his response to civic claims and religious duties. In such a life we see Christianity becoming a working social principle.

New England Rubber Club.

At a special meeting of the New England Rubber Club, held on Monday, the 7th of October, 1907, the following resolutions were passed.

Whereas: The sad news of the sudden death of our friend and fellow member, Horace H. Tyer, has come as a great shock to the members of the New England Rubber Club.

The son of one of the honored pioneers in his particular branch of the rubber industry, and himself intimately connected with our trade during his entire business career, and President of his own organization for the past quarter of a century, his loss will be most keenly felt by all who have had the privilege of personal or business associations with him.

Resolved: That this Club extend to his family its sincere and most heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved: That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Club, and copies engrossed and sent to his family and to his business associates.

GEORGE P. WHITMORE, Chairman,
ELSTON E. WADBROOK,
ALEXANDER M. PAUL,
Committee on Resolutions.

The Rubber Sundries Mfrs. Assn.

Whereas, this Association has learned with deep regret and sorrow of the death of Mr. Horace H. Tyer, President of the Tyer Rubber Company and

Whereas, it desires to give expression of the loss it feels in the removal from our midst of Mr. Horace H. Tyer, be it

Resolved, that this expression of sympathy be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and that a copy of same be forwarded to the Tyer Rubber Company, and to the family of the deceased

The Andover Club.

Whereas:—It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our beloved associate and fellow citizen Horace H. Tyer and

Whereas:—By the death of Mr. Tyer the Andover Club has lost a faithful and devoted member, one who was always ready to help one in need, quiet and courteous in manner, with a pleasant word for all; be it

Resolved:—That the members of the Club tender their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family, and be it further

Resolved:—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased, that a copy be printed in the Townsman and also placed in the records of the Club.

HILAND F. HOLT, Clerk.
Andover Club, Oct. 7, 1907.

The Tyer Rubber Company.

In the death of our President, Horace H. Tyer, the Tyer Rubber Company has sustained an irreparable loss.

Inheriting from his father those sterling qualities of character, honesty, loyalty and integrity, he gave to his work thoroughness, and to his business associates a genial friendship, and a high standard of duty.

Associated with this Company for more than forty years, and President since 1882, its growth is a memorial to his character, his life an inspiration for his successors.

His associates in this business which was founded by his father, developed under his care, inscribe upon our records their loving tribute of appreciation of our leader, associate, and friend.

Andover, Oct. 18, 1907.

The Andover Press.

The directors of the Andover Press learn with deepest sorrow, of the death of their honored president, Horace H. Tyer.

Since the formation of this company he has served as its president, and his warm interest in its progress, and wise judgment in its counsels have ever been felt by his associates.

His memory will long be cherished by those who were so fortunate as to enjoy his companionship, and his large part in the life of Andover will make his death deeply felt. In his memory therefore

Be it resolved, that the Andover Press extend to his family, its warmest sympathy in their hour of bereavement.

That this memorial be spread upon the records of the company and copies of it be sent to the family and published in the Townsman.

Andover, Oct. 14, 1907.

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Andover Guild.

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Clothing.—Hereafter articles may be sent in at any time and those desiring clothing may come to the Guild from 3 to 5 any Saturday afternoon to buy such garments as we may have.

Stamp Savings.—Hereafter the Stamp Savings Bank will be open from 3.30 to 5 on Saturday as well as Wednesday for the accommodation of any who can not come during the Wednesday hours.

Girls' Club.—Opened Oct. 17th with an informal reception to the old and new members.

Boys' Club.—The senior group, boys 15 to 20 inclusive, will meet Tuesday, Oct. 22nd, at 8 p.m. The middle group, boys 12 to 14 inclusive, will meet Friday, Oct. 25th, at 6.30 p.m., and the junior group, boys 9 to 11 inclusive, will meet Wednesday, Oct. 23rd, at 4 p.m. Boys should come prepared to pay their fees and to decide definitely on their line of industrial work for the winter.

Mothers' Club.—Will hold their first meeting this evening, Oct. 18th, at 8 o'clock, when they will elect officers and decide on the winter's work and teachers.

Sewing School.—Will open Oct. 26th.

North Essex Club Meeting.

The North Essex Congregational club held a most interesting meeting in Trinitarian Congregational church, North Andover, Monday evening, 45 members being present.

After a half-hour social, Caterer T. E. Rhodes of Andover served an excellent supper at 7 o'clock.

Grace was said by Rev. John L. Keedy, and Rev. William E. Wolcott returned thanks.

In the absence of the president, Rev. Frank R. Shipman, William D. Hartshorne, vice-president, occupied the chair.

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson reported for the committee on home work.

Supt. of Schools Wallace E. Mason, of North Andover, was elected to membership.

The chairman gave items of special interest in the twelve churches represented in the club and reported the condition of the prayer meeting in these churches as learned from answers to eight questions sent to each church. Rev. William E. Wolcott spoke briefly of the promising beginning of the work of "The Lawrence Neighborhood League."

It was decided to hold the next meeting of the club in Trinity church, December 8th.

The program follows:

Selection, "Dreams," by Strelzki.

Trinitarian Congregational church quartette, Miss Annie E. Sanborn, soprano; Miss Annie L. Sargent, alto; Attorney Arthur P. Chickering, tenor; Dr. F. S. Smith, bass; Miss Elizabeth M. Saunders, accompanist.

Topic: "The Religious Life of the Present Day," "Religious Life of the Family," George T. Hathorn, North Andover; Fred Lord, Lawrence.

"Religious Life in the Churches," Rev. A. H. Fuller, Ballardvale; C. Wallace Abbott, Lawrence.

Selection, "Cossack Folk Song," "Hungarian Folk Song," by Saesche, quartette.

"Religious Life in the Community at Large," Andrew B. Sutherland, Lawrence; Edward A. Archibald, Methuen. In the absence of the latter his paper was read by Rev. Mr. Oliphant.

"Present Day Religious Prospects," Rev. Arthur Barber, Lawrence.

Selection, "To Sylvia," quartette.

A general discussion of the topic followed.

The papers presented were thoughtful and admirable in every respect.

Just before adjournment a rising vote of thanks was tendered the quartette for the splendid numbers rendered.

The meeting was one of the most successful and interesting in the history of the thriving organization.

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On Saturday last occurred the wedding of Miss Ida May McTernen daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McTernen of this town and John Walter Brown of Wakefield. The ceremony took place at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents on Chestnut street, and was performed by Rev. Frederic Palmer in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The double ring service was used, the bride being given away by her father. The couple were attended by Miss Annie Brown, a sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, and Chester Harnden, as best man.

The bride looked charming in a dress of white, crepe de chene over silk and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid's dress was of white Swiss muslin and she held pink chrysanthemums. The bridal party stood under an arch of autumn leaves and hydrangeas and the house was decorated with evergreen.

After the ceremony a reception was held to about 150 guests who came from Boston, Haverhill, Lawrence, Danvers, Alton, Methuen and Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McTernen and Mrs. John Brown. The ushers were Misses Agnes Thompson, and Florence Brown and Messrs. Roy McTernen of Danvers and Dr. Malcolm McTernen of this town. Rhodes of Andover catered.

The couple left later in the evening for a short wedding tour and they will be at home to friends after the first of December at their home in Everett.

Beautiful gifts of cut glass, silver, china, pictures and linen showed the high esteem in which the bride is held by her many friends and the good wishes of all the townspeople go with her as she starts on her married life.

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The McAll Mission.

As October is the month for the annual meeting of the Andover Auxiliary of the American McAll Association, which meeting is preceded by the collecting of money for the Mission, this seems an opportune moment for reviewing briefly Andover's share in the work of evangelizing France.

The Andover Auxiliary was organized at an undenominational meeting held in the Free Church in September, 1884. The Rev. Mr. Newell, fresh from his enthusiastic and arduous labors in Paris, gave a glowing description of the work and urged upon the audience the advantage, both here and abroad, of an Andover Auxiliary. It seemed then to many that there were already enough organizations for Missionary work in Andover. However, every objection was over-ruled and the organization was completed at a meeting of women held in the hall of Abbot Academy on Oct. 29, 1884.

The strongest argument for a distinct society was the inspiration that Miss Elizabeth Rogers Beach's labors had awakened. Miss Beach, through her connection with Abbot Academy and through her relationship with the Jackson family, might almost be considered an Andover woman. Her work in the Mission Halls in Paris, and later, her presentation of the work and its needs to large audiences in the churches in our own land are well known, yet no one can think of her self denying heroism (for she went before mixed audiences in fear and trembling) without a thrill of pride and love, and her tragic death when she was at length starting South to recruit her strength and health, has lent the glamour of romance to her share in the work to which she was, in truth, a martyr.

The glamour of romance, indeed, marked the wonderful beginning of the work in Paris, for who but God would have chosen, for the uplifting and Christianizing of the masses in Paris, an old man, an English subject, who scarcely spoke French at all, yet Mr. McAll, with his wife and the helpers who rallied about them, transformed the places into which they went.

In the early years, the romantic epoch of the Mission appealed to many in the United States, in England, and in Scotland. It was easy to give and to get large gifts of money for this work so wonderfully begun.

It was stated then by some of the wisest workers that the draft upon foreign lands for money would soon cease, that France would soon be able to carry on the work herself. Protestant France has been doing nobly all along, but the work has broadened and deepened beyond all human expectation and today, changed in character, but no less genuine, no less needed, it is carried on by men and women, as self-sacrificing, as earnest as the pioneers, who still need our sympathy and our financial help.

The separation of Church and State in France has brought about new conditions and today the McAll Mission has before it an all-important work.

The Lowell Institute and other recent lectures of the Abbé Félix Klein of the Catholic University of Paris have set forth the present conditions most clearly, and an article on the subject in the August Atlantic Monthly will well repay the reading.

The Andover Auxiliary wishes to complete triumphantly its first quarter century, three years hence. It needs new members to take the places of those whose support from the beginning it must henceforth miss. It needs new contributors. Let the contributions be large, if it may be, but better still, let them be small and many.

The treasurer, Miss Emily Carter, Main street, will be glad to receive any contributions direct, if the collectors have not made their rounds. It would be glorious if all the churches could unite in this work, as at the beginning.

The Annual Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John L. Brewster, Locke street, Friday, October 25th, at 3.30 p. m.

Every woman interested, or willing to become interested in the McAll Mission is invited to the annual meeting.

M. S. MERRILL,

Secretary.

Monthly Draft.

The monthly draft for September is as follows:—

Schools,	\$2851.83
School Houses,	882.54
Books and Supplies,	507.27
Park,	20.00
Police,	293.44
Street Lighting,	406.50
Printing and Stationery,	114.61
Spring Grove Cemetery,	34.88
Miscellaneous,	29.80
Fire,	183.46
Town Officers,	483.33
Tree Warden,	182.47
Town House,	129.94
Horses and Drivers,	328.61
Snow,	1.60
State Aid,	204.50
Relief Out,	289.10
Alms house,	323.70
Highways and Bridges,	1048.00
Sewers,	175.09
Water,	705.10
	\$9285.86

Weather Record

Temperature taken in the morning between 6 and 7 o'clock and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1906 Morn. Noon.	1907 Morn. Noon.
Oct. 11 37 50	Oct. 11 36 62
" 12 30 50	" 12 50 62
" 13 27 54	" 13 40 58
" 14 26 00	" 14 40 50
" 15 34 63	" 15 36 54
" 16 40 68	" 16 38 62
" 17 49 62	" 17 40 66

Slum Law—So your wife wants alimony? Sing Lee—Yep; allee money me gotte.

FROM AN ANDOVER WINDOW

JOHN UNDERWOOD

For two months I have been absent from my window. Sleeping? Well, call it that. Lying on the bed, anyway. Some of Andover's passing show has dribbled into me by hearsay, but I have not been actually watching it.

"Tramp, tramp, tramp," I heard the hurrying feet of school children big and little. Yet I did not go to the window. They make a pleasant sight when school starts again. Nevertheless the inner impulse to leave the bed was not strong enough to take me from it. When a man has been ill, he needs a powerful impetus.

Did the laying of the Free Church cornerstone supply that impetus? No. The event was an important one. That church, which has meant much in the life of our town, will mean even more henceforth. And yet I lay with my face to the wall. That church, which has meant much in the life of our town, will mean even more henceforth. And yet I lay with my face to the wall.

The hurtle of political discussion was in the air, and for a moment I thought I would look out and see the missiles flying through the air, and then—then I thought I wouldn't.

And it was just then that Mrs. Underwood said, "Father, come and look at the last hand-organ of the summer," and I sprang to the window, for—you remember last summer? It was a pleasant time, wasn't it? I wanted the last hand-organ to carry away something of my gratitude for the long, golden days of July and August. So I reached the window, and behold, the maple at the corner had flung a great red banner against the cool blue of the October sky, and a still mellow sunshine rested on the opposite house, and the air was like wine, and I said, "I will dress and be well. Farewell, dear summer; welcome autumn, hardly less dear."

Somebody tells me that the Grange last month discussed the question, "Were I to live my life over again, would I choose farming for my occupation?" I wish I could have heard the talk. It was preceded by an address on "Frankness of expression—how far should one practice it?" If the farmers present did practice it, their answers to the question of the evening must have been well worth hearing. A "Townsmen" reporter ought to have been there.

If society includes one profession which it cannot do without, the farming profession is that one. Adam's business was to plant a garden, and Adam's descendants are dependent on the men who have stuck to his lead. Take off your fall hats and bonnets, people, to the oldest and most important profession in the world.

Since I have been up such a short time, naturally I have not much to say this week. While I was ill, a friend sent me the verses which follow. The weather is so fine that I do not suppose that many of my readers are having "weary days." Still, care and sorrow and pain are always with us, and some may need, as I needed, the exhortation to

LET IT PASS

Has it been a weary day?
 Let it pass:
 Lots of others on the way—
 They will pass.
 Soon the skies will start to lighten,
 All around begin to brighten,
 And misfortune ceased to frighten—
 Let it pass.
 Does the world the wrong way rub you?
 Let it pass.
 Did your best friend seem to snub you?
 Let it pass.
 Chances are you were mistaken,
 None is ever quite forsaken,
 All for naught your faith was shaken—
 Let it pass.

Symbolism in the Churches

"Why are we so suspicious of the cross in our churches, for the cross is the symbol of the crucifixion of Christ," asked Rev. Dr. John Hunter of Glasgow, a distinguished Congregational divine, in an impressive address at the meeting of Congregational ministers in Pilgrim Hall, Boston, Monday.

The subject of Dr. Hunter's address was "A Plea for a Worshipful Church," and he dwelt at some length on the need of a simple ritual, saying in part:—

"The darkness is not all in one place, neither is the light, and in our fear of ritual we have been led into an anti-ritual attitude so extreme that we ignore the beauties of symbolism which appeal to the heart of man, and it is through the heart and imagination that we come in closer touch with God.

"Churches in the exterior and interior should be so constructed as to inspire religious fervor; it is not of art that we need to be afraid, for while good sermons may be better than symbols, there is no reason why we should not have pictures and symbols in our temples. In the decoration of the church there should be no suggestion of the music hall, and the music should be simple and dignified. The choir and the pulpit should be made the centre of the church; the communion table should be given the prominence.

"Let us not put our churches to all kinds of uses; let us keep them as sanctuaries, where we can reverently worship God."

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters, Oct. 14, 1907.

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 Burns, C. H. Knox, Mrs. Andrew
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An Enjoyable Concert.

A very enjoyable concert was held in Flint Memorial Hall, North Reading, last Friday evening, when there was two hours of pleasure for those who love music, part of which was furnished by the Raymond quartet of this town. The concert consisted of selections by a trio composed of a violin, flute and piano, several numbers by a celebrated harpist on that sweetest of all instruments, the harp, and songs by the quartet. That the program, which was an excellent one, was successful, was evidenced by the vigor with which each piece was encored.

The flute, violin and piano trio was very fine. In one number the sweet tones of the violin were taken up so cleverly by the flute that had one not been watching the players, the change from the one to the other could hardly be detected. These two instruments were in perfect harmony and the soft accompaniment on the piano added much to the beautiful melodies brought forth.

The quartet were in fine voice. Every number was rendered excellently, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience as the call for encores showed.

"Remember Thy Creator" was given in a spirit well suited to the grand sentiment expressed. The last number by the quartet was "Annie Laurie" and as a response "A Little Farm Well Tilled" was sung by three members causing so much amusement through the audience that it was repeated and this, not satisfying the listeners, was followed by "We're rolling along."

The feature of the evening was the playing of Miss Martin on her harp. She has a wonderful memory as was seen by the way in which she handled the difficult selections without notes. A very smooth rendering of the running passages and the soft, elastic touch she displayed, bringing out the sweet, low, tones, pleased her hearers very much and as the last chord died away a round of applause showed that her work was much appreciated.

The concert closed with a selection by the trio and everyone expressed much pleasure in the evening's enjoyment.

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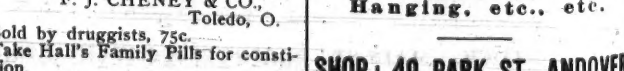
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A Philosopher.

Frances Willard once wrote to a friend who had just lost a daughter: "Dear Sister Anna, how much richer are you than I! Here I sit alone without a child to die, while you are mother to an angel."

Economics.

The Coming Guest—"I understand you charge a dollar and a half a day for a room. When I was here in December you only charged a dollar a day."

The Landlady—"Ah, but the days are longer now."—Harper's Weekly.

Not the Ocean

It was the morning after their arrival at a seaside resort.

"I have often heard of the roar of the ocean," she said dreamily, "but I never knew it sounded like that."

"That's not the roar of the ocean," answered her more experienced husband. "That's the roar of a departing guest who has just been presented with his bill."—Judge.

Memorial Hall Library

New Books Added

808	Allbright	The short story; its principles and structure.
A34		
831.3	American Academy of Political and Social Science.	Child labor.
A51		
917.44	Boston, Mass.	Directory, 1907.
973.2	Brady	Border fights and fighters.
B72		
824	Church	Dante and other essays.
C47d		
821.08	Couch	Oxford book of English verse.
C83		
858.9	Dealey	Our state constitutions.
D34		
720.9	Fletcher	History of architecture.
F633		
635.9	Graves	Forest mensuration.
G78		
839	Ideen	Works. 10v.
I 12		
92	Jennings	Texas ranger.
J44		
917.44	Lawrence, Mass.	Directory, 1905.
L87		
814	Mabie	In the forest of Arden.
M11f		
844	Maeterlinck	Treasure of the humble.
M26		
814	Marvin	Companionship of books, etc.
M37		
910	Scrimgeour	Lantern lectures without the slides.
S43		
821	Southey	Poems; ed. by Edward Dowden.
S727		
720	Sturgis	How to judge architecture.
S92		
811	Tabb	Child verse.
T11c		
929.2	Willis	Records of the Willis family of Haverhill, Portland, and Boston.
W67		
	Adams	Log of a cowboy.
	Grey	Silence of Dean Maitland.
	Morgan	Allice-for-short.
	Morgan	Joseph Vance.
	Ozenham	Long road.
	Sand	Consuelo.
	Sand	Countess of Rudolstadt.

Children's Books

790	Beard	Jack of all trades.
B37j		
398.4		Fairy stories retold from St. Nicholas.
S147		
352	Hill	Lessons for junior citizens.
H50		
398.4	Stearns	Chris and the wonderful lamp.
S79		
	Aanrud	Liabeth Longfrock.
	Baldwin	Popular girl.
	Canfield	Boys of the Rincon ranch.
	Hammond	Further fortunes of Pinky Perkins.
	Hopkins	Sandman; his farm stories.
	Stockton	Young master of Hyson Hall.

Books purchased from the Phillips Fund

226.2	Allen	Critical and exegetical commentary on the gospel according to St. Matthew.
A432		
177	Black	Work.
B56w		
188	Davidson	Stoic creed.
D28		
179	Dubois	Culture of justice.
D85		
239	Harnack	Christianity and history.
B22		
268	Hervey	Picture-work for mothers and teachers.
H44		
226.8	Hubbard	Teaching of Jesus in parables.
H90		
220	Trumbull	Our misunderstood Bible.
T77		
173	Wagner	By the fireside.
W12		
270	Waring	Christianity and its Bible.
W22		

AROUND THE COUNTY

The new "Olympia" theatre in Lynn will be opened Christmas day.

There was a slight fire, Monday afternoon, at the Haverhill city farm.

Lynn dealers have so far been unable to agree on a price for milk, and a milk war seems imminent.

Haverhill police are looking for an autoist who late Monday night ran down Frank Green of Georgetown.

James Westcott of New York is dying. He was a famous gambler and was formerly of Newburyport.

Philip Goodrich, manual training instructor at the Lynn schools, has accepted a similar position in Charleston.

Andrew Olsen, of Pigeon Cove, who lived alone in a small house, died in the fire which destroyed his dwelling, Sunday morning.

Most of the shoe manufacturers of Beverly are preparing for a busy fall and winter season. Just at present the usual lull in the trade is being experienced.

Many Beverly people will be present at the song recital to be given by Miss Lillia Snelling, contralto, on the evening of Oct. 17, at Ames Memorial Hall, Salem.

The Boston & Northern street railway company has laid a fine piece of road just above the Catholic church on Cabot street, Beverly. Another piece of poor iron to receive attention will be the strip below School street.

The hearing of the charges preferred against Capt. Downer of the Lynn fire department by Chief Harris has developed the fact that there is strong opposition to the chief among his subordinates, and an attempt may be made to defeat him when he again comes up for election.

Charles W. Hall, of Beverly, for many years foreman of the cutting room of the J. W. Carter & Co. factory, having recovered from a successful operation in the hospital, will now take up his residence on the Pacific coast and will remove his family to southern California, where he is to engage in business.

Anna, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols of Amesbury was seriously burned Wednesday while trying to start a fire in the kitchen range with kerosene. Thomas Boothroyd, janitor at the postoffice, smothered her burning clothing. The child is not expected to live.

The Worth of His Money

Not seldom in highland districts the attendance at church during unpropitious weather is but scanty. One minister, finding himself on a boisterous Sunday confronted with but one solitary auditor, who happened to be a gruff, outspoken character, took him into his confidence, with a view to propitiate him. "Will I go on with the sermon, John?" John answered gruffly, "Of course." Getting into the pulpit and leaning over it, he asked, "Will I give you the Gaelic sermon or the English one?" "Gie's baith. Ye're weel paid for't," said John, more gruffly still.—Dundee Advertiser.

Bituminous Coal

Shortly after the adoption of bituminous coal as a fuel in England a royal proclamation was used forbidding its use and authorizing the destruction of the furnaces of the users, who were characterized as evil doers. Scarcity of fuel, it seems, shortly compelled the resumption of its use. In the reign of Elizabeth bituminous coal was again prohibited the health of the members suffer thereby.—London Telegraph.

The Hat Scale.

A fifty dollar hat is a conceit. A thirty dollar hat is a confection. A two dollar hat is a sin and a shame and a perfect justification for going home to mother.—Pittsburg Post.

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- - In - - Dormitory 10.

By TEMPLE BAILEY.

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Betty Belle, coming in that morning from "English two," found on the table in her room in the dormitory a coconut cake, a plate of chicken sandwiches and a card. The card read, "Compliments of Prudence Conway."

Prudence was the colored maid on the third floor of dormitory 10 of the summer school. To be chosen as a pet by Prudence meant many privileges. To the girl she liked she brought unlimited towels, while some less favored maiden might languish with two a week, and now in providing Betty Belle with materials for a midnight spread Prudence showed evidence of high regard.

Betty Belle was from the south, hence her name. There had been two aunts beloved by her mother, and the little girl had been called after them always. Betty Belle wondered why the northern girls thought it funny.

"Well, we don't string ours together that way, as a rule," Drusilla Davis told her. "And I don't believe we place such value on names. But you are a dear, Betty Belle, only you are different."

"How different?" Betty Belle questioned, and Drusilla laughed.

"Oh, you are so old fashioned and pretty and serious."

Betty Belle blushed. "You are pretty, too, Drusilla."

Drusilla shook her head. "Not in the fascinating way that you are, Betty Belle."

The scholars of the summer school ate at an adjoining boarding house, and at the lunch table that day Betty Belle told about the chicken sandwiches and the coconut cake.

There were four men at the table besides the girls. As Betty Belle described the deliciousness the men groaned enviously.

"And we don't come in for any of that?" asked Dick Chase, who had slunked in his studies the winter before and was making up during the



"I THINK WE COULD BE GOOD FRIENDS IF YOU WOULD PULL UP."

summer term. His father was worth a million, and it was hard for Dick to understand why he needed to grind over books.

"No," Betty Belle told him; "no men are allowed above the first floor of our dormitory."

"Well, we will serenade you while you are eating it," Dick said.

"Please don't," Betty begged.

"Why not?" Dick asked in surprise.

His attentions had always been sought rather than refused, and he had meant that Betty Belle should appreciate the high honor he was conferring.

"It's against the rules," Betty Belle said.

"I shouldn't think you would mind a little thing like that."

"I don't," said Betty Belle, "but you can't afford to lose any standing."

He flushed. "You needn't hit a fellow when he's down. I don't care whether I get through next year or not."

"Well, I do," said little Betty Belle. "You told me about your mother, and I don't think you ought to disappoint her."

Dick's eyes dropped before the clear ones of the little southern girl.

"I shouldn't like to disappoint her," he murmured.

But that night as six girls in all the comfort of dainty kimono and dressing sacks ate coconut cake and chicken sandwiches with ginger ale accompaniment there floated up through the air the strains of "Dixie."

"There," said Drusilla Davis; "that is in your honor, Betty Belle."

Betty, pink and white and charming in her rosy kimono, tapped a small foot impatiently.

"Well, I wish he wouldn't," she said. Margaret Mills looked at her with raised eyebrows. "Why, Betty Belle Fairfax," she exclaimed, "he is worth a million! Any girl would be glad to have him pay her attention."

"I don't care if he is worth ten millions," Betty Belle returned quickly; "he isn't a gentleman."

The girls looked at her, startled. "Why, Betty Belle," one gasped, "what makes you say such a thing?"

"He isn't," affirmed Betty Belle, with

her head held high. "The gentlemen at my home have consideration for the wishes of ladies, and I told him not to sing. And he has an invalid mother who is just praying for his success, and he is wasting his time. It isn't right; it isn't right!" And Betty Belle clapped both hands over her ears to shut out the strains of "Dixie."

"Some one will tell Dick Chase what you said about him," Drusilla told the small maiden after the other girls had gone to their rooms.

"I don't care," said Betty Belle hotly, but when Drusilla went away she got down at the window and looked out for a long time upon the moon lighted campus.

Then she rose and took the one piece of coconut cake that was left and wrapped it up in a dainty parcel and tied it with ribbon, and in the morning she sent it by Prudence to Dick Chase, with a little note.

"I said things about you last night," was the confession he read in her clear cut writing. "I said you were not a gentleman. Some one may tell you, and I shouldn't like to have you hear it that way. But I didn't think you were courteous to disregard my wishes, and I worried about your mother. I know you won't forgive me, but I had to explain."

At noon on the campus Dick Chase came up to Betty Belle.

"It was right—what you said," he told her soberly. "I've been a fearful cad, and I needed a good jolt."

Betty Belle sat down on a seat under the elms. "You see, I have lots of brothers," she confessed, "and I know how mothers feel about their boys—and, then, I couldn't bear to see you going to the bad."

There was a little tremble in her voice, and Dick looked up quickly. "Do you care?" he asked eagerly.

"Yes," Betty Belle told him without coquetry. "I think we could be good friends if you would pull up."

Dick flung himself down on the bench beside her. "I would have to be more than friends, Betty Belle," he said. "I—have grown to think a lot of you; you are so—different."

"That's what Drusilla says," Betty Belle remarked, "and I don't just see what you all mean."

"Well, you are so good and true, little Betty Belle. You make a fellow feel that life is worth while."

That night in dormitory 10 Betty Belle made a confession.

"I am sorry that I said such things about Dick Chase," they were sitting in the dark, and the other girls could not see her blushes. "I was in a bit of a temper, you know."

"Southern blood?" commented Margaret Mills.

"Maybe," said Betty Belle.

Across the campus they could see the lights in the men's dormitory. In one room a crowd of boys had gathered around a piano, and their voices floated out in a rollicking college song. In another room a lamp with a green shade made a halo around a man's bent head.

"Why, I believe Dick Chase is studying," said Drusilla Davis. "What is going to happen?"

"He is going to turn over a new leaf," said Betty Belle demurely.

Something in her voice made the girls ask in a chorus, "How do you know?"

"Because I am engaged to him," said Betty Belle.

Shadow Sketches.

Nature was the first artist, and a shadow sketch was the first picture made. She is still spreading her beautiful designs wherever a beautiful object stands in the sunlight, and we are about to learn what she can teach us of her method. In going along country roads and paths have you not admired the shadows that the flowers and all graceful plants cast on the ground?

Those of leaves and vines actually display the outlines of the plants to even better advantage than can be seen in the objects themselves, because shadows have no perspective and no shading. An easy way to arrange a vase of flowers or of leafy twigs for drawing is to study their shadow on a wall while the vase is slowly turned until the shadow shows them to be suitably placed.

As a rule objects like large leaves and birds' nests are best for simple outlining, while delicate and complicated shadows like those cast by vines and by most flowers are best for the blackened surface of the silhouette. Shadow outlines make good records of flowers and plants if accompanied by the usual notes on color and habit.—St. Nicholas.

A "Peach" of a War Story.

Humor is not associated with the bloody days of Kentucky in Revolutionary times. But a bit of fun of the gruesome kind is recited by Lynn Tew Sprague in the Outing Magazine in an article entitled "General Isaac Shelby, First Governor of Kentucky." The incident follows:

"A patriot soldier of the neighborhood named Culbertson, who subsequently became a captain, was at the time acting as a scout to Shelby's command, and while gathering information before the action he came suddenly upon a British dragoon, far from support, who was eating a peach. Both were startled by the meeting, and the Britisher swallowed the fruit, stone and all, and reached for his gun. A shooting match ensued. The dragoon perished in the duel and was hastily buried by the scout in a shallow hole. Visiting the grave next year, Culbertson found a peach tree growing from it, and he boasted of living to enjoy fruit rooted in British soil and fertilized by his adversary. The story, we may add, is Culbertson's very own, but who shall say that the patriot army lacked constructive imagination?"

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The stalk is the part to which are attached the pintles, or pivots, by which the rudder is suspended and held in place, these going through eyes set in the ship's sternpost. The stalks run up through the stern of the ship, and to its head is bolted a cap to which are attached the ropes by means of which the rudder is controlled. The backing is the blade part of the rudder.

By far the greater strain comes on the stalk, and the greatest strain of all comes on the head of the stalk, the rudder head, where it is held. The stalk is made of the wood most likely to stand the strain, carefully selected, sound, well seasoned oak, while the backing is made of spruce or hard pine. The stalk is of a single, solid, massive piece, stout as an oak tree and indeed of the dimensions of a small oak, something that a man can pin his faith to, if he can have faith in any wood, while the backing or blade is, like many modern wooden masts, built up. It would be difficult if not impossible to find trees that would yield planks big enough for the purpose in a single piece, and the built up backing, made of pieces of selected wood, can easily be made of ample strength to withstand any strain that will be brought upon it.

As to the stalk, stout and solid as the oak may be, the head may be twisted by the force of a tremendous blow from a wave upon the rudder, or, under the repeated strains of long use, the head may split and so make the stalk useless. Then the rudder is taken out and fitted with a new stalk. A suitable stick is selected and worked down to the proper size and form, and very probably the old backing is attached to it. The life of a rudder stalk would probably be twelve to fourteen years. The backing might last as long as the ship.—New York Sun.

A Bad Season.

"Yes," said the poet, "I published my book of poems about a month ago, but it isn't going very well."

"Indeed?" remarked his friend; "you told me you expected it to sell like hot cakes."

"Well—er—hot cakes don't sell very well this weather."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 20.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, topic "Give ye them to eat."

Sunday school to follow.
6.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.

7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by pastor.
7.20 p. m. Thursday evening. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. A. E. Worman, pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 20.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school to follow.

3.00 p. m. Junior E. L.
6.00 p. m. Epworth League.

7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor.
7.20 p. m. Thursday evening. Prayer meeting.

Maynard S. Clemons of Wakefield spent Thursday in the Vale.

Miss Mamie Tobin of Reading spent Sunday with relatives in the Vale.

Hon. Joseph M. Bradley of Boston spent Thursday with friends in the Vale.

Mrs. Mary F. Chase of Hanover, N. H., was the guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodgkins.

The Helping Hand will meet next Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the Methodist parsonage.

The Misses Mary and Julia Brown have been spending several days with relatives in Auburndale.

Harold Bailey and Ernest Stitzaker of Hyde Park were the guests Saturday and Sunday of Edward Scott.

The earthquake last Tuesday evening at 7.10 o'clock, was quite severe and was noticed by almost every person in the Vale.

The official batting and fielding averages of the Ballardvale baseball team will be published in full in next week's paper.

Henry Colbath fell on the bridge Wednesday evening and broke his left leg below his knee in two places. Dr. Leitch is in attendance.

Mrs. Charles Weston last Saturday afternoon slipped and fell on the electric railroad track in Lawrence and received several severe wounds and bruises.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Charles Greene. The ladies are busy preparing for their annual fair which will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 13.

A Junior Epworth League will be organized in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Supt. Mrs. Alwin E. Worman. All children between the ages of 5 and 15 are cordially invited to come and join.

The annual Harvest supper will be held in the Congregational church vestry next Wednesday evening, Oct. 23. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock. Admission, adults, 25 cents, children 15 cents. The public is very cordially invited to attend.

Next Monday evening, Oct. 21, Mrs. Grace V. Bourcay, G. Sect. and William H. Saunders, G. Coun. will pay an official visit to Ballardvale Lodge, No. 105. A delegation from Cliftondale Lodge will also be present. Refreshments will be served. All Good Templars are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Miller celebrated their fifth anniversary at their home on Tewksbury street last Tuesday evening. It was a family gathering with a few of the intimate friends in attendance. Games were played and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were the recipients of many fine presents.

Surprise Party

About sixty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Bonner tendered a surprise party at their home on Dale street, Thursday evening.

Miss Adele Matthews with a felicitous and pleasing speech presented them in the names of their friends, with a smoking set and a pair of Japanese vases. The party then adjourned to Bradley Hall where games were played and refreshments were served. The hall was very prettily decorated with autumn leaves and potted plants.

The success of the party was largely due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Lillian White, who planned everything.

Course of Entertainments

The Ballardvale Mills Co. have continued their custom of previous years and with their well known generosity have arranged for the following free course of high class entertainments for their employees and the people of the village for the coming season.

1907—
Nov. 6, Concert by Albion Quartette and Miss Wilbur, reader.

Nov. 20, Edward Avis.
Dec. 4, Mr. G. H. Taylor, "London from Top of a 'Bus." Illustrated with stereopticon.

Dec. 18, Concert by the Southern Trio, and Mr. Christie, reader.

1908—
Jan. 1, Rev. Henry R. Rose, "Ben Hur," illustrated with stereopticon.

Jan. 15, Concert by Ethel Batting Company.

Jan. 28, Herbert H. Clark and wife.

Feb. 12, Concert by Copley Square Trio, and Miss Reagan, reader.

Feb. 26, Phidellah Rice, Impersonator.

March 11, Instrumental Concert by Harry E. Brigham's Orchestra, assisted by Mr. Fred Kendall.

Punchard Notes.

PUNCHARD, 17; METHUEN, 0.
Punchard High defeated Methuen High 17 to 0 in a triangular league contest on the Playstead Wednesday afternoon.

Punchard had little difficulty in gaining through the Methuen line and had the game well in hand from start to finish.

Methuen put up a plucky game against odds and at times did good work, but Punchard's goal was never really threatened.

Punchard played a hard, aggressive game throughout.

The summary:

PUNCHARD
Taylor, le
Morrison, lt
McIntosh, lg
R. Hardy, c
Dole, rg
Hickey, rt
Lindsay, re
Kyle, qb
Boland, lbh
Smith, rhh
Anderson, fb

METHUEN
re, B. Garry
rt, Crowell
rg, Houston
c, Douglas
lg, E. Garry
lt, Bodwell
le, Gaunt
qb, Ayer
rhh, Cheney
lbh, Rutter
fb, Porter

Score—Punchard, 17; Methuen, 0.
Touchdowns—Boland 2, Smith. Goals from touchdowns—Dole 2. Referee—Gilbert. Umpire—Morrissey. Time—20 and 25 min halves.

Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise party occurred at the home of Ernest Wood at Wilson's Corner last evening, when that young man was taken by surprise by about thirty of his friends, the occasion being his twenty-first birthday.

The quarter of eight car was taken by the company from the square, and they were met at their destination by Mr. Wood's father, who conducted them around by the back way into the kitchen. Ernest was taking his music lesson. He played a few minutes and then came out into the kitchen. As the door opened a shout went up from the gathering, and the look of astonishment on the young man's face showed very plainly that he had had no inkling of what was before him.

After the first surprise wore off all gathered in the parlor, and games and music passed a very pleasant time.

During the evening Mr. Wood was presented with a fine raincoat as a token of the esteem in which he is held by his many friends. After this refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served, and the party broke up at a seasonable hour, all wishing the host many happy returns of the day.

Letter to John Tyler Kimball

Andover, Mass.

Dear Sir: If a customer wants \$35.50 do you give him \$75?

Suppose you should hear of one of your customers doing a thing like that and not knowing it, what would you say next time he wants discount?

We'll venture half your men are doing that very thing without a suspicion.

Men who paint any other paint than Devco are paying \$75 for \$35.50 or some other such figure.

10 gallons Devco is enough for a good size house two coats; 15 or 20 isn't too much of another paint. There's \$8.75 or \$17.50 for 5 or 10 extra gallons; besides \$2 to \$4 a gallon for putting it on; that's \$10 to \$40. That's how half the houses stores factories warehouses shops barns fences are painted: \$50 for paint and labor; \$25 to \$50 for not knowing what paint to put on.

The one to put on is the paint that takes least gallons and makes least bills for paint and labor.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVCO & CO.

40 P. S. J. H. Campton & Co. sells our paint.

NORTH ANDOVER

William C. Harraden spent Thursday in Gloucester.

Mrs. Oscar T. Young and son are visiting in Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Blanchard are taking a trip through the West.

George W. Towne, of "Lone Pine", is home from the South on a short visit.

Mrs. Hiram Smith has returned from a two weeks' visit to her parents in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Ellen Breen, of Lawrence, has purchased the William P. Tucker place on Tucker street.

The Charitable Union met Wednesday afternoon as usual, and the social and supper followed the meeting.

Mrs. Matilda Adams, of Boston, is spending the month of October with her nieces, the Misses Ward at Clovercroft.

Mrs. William Fieldhouse and Mrs. Edward Fieldhouse, of the River District, are visiting in Boston and Winchester.

The earthquake was felt about town on Tuesday night very plainly. In some places dishes rattled and bric-a-brac was shaken.

Mrs. Ellen W. Cheever has returned from Chocoma, where she has spent the summer, to open her house on Salem street.

William Byers and family have returned to their home after spending the summer in the River District at their summer residence.

Joseph W. Crockett, an employee of the Robinson Hardware company, of Lawrence, who has been ill, is able to attend to his duties.

November 4th, Rev. S. C. Beane of the Old North church, will address the members of the Woman's Alliance in the Unitarian church, Newburyport.

Women's Auxiliary held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon. Tea was served by Mrs. Susan L. Cogswell, Miss Marion Appleton, Mrs. William Knowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris, who have been occupying the John Hamilton Morse house on Johnson street through the summer, have gone to their Boston home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton Morse have returned from Bas Rocks, Gloucester, where they spent the summer, and are now occupying their house on Johnson street.

Miss Marian DeC. Ward gave a very interesting talk on the "Church Prudential Club" in St. Paul's parish house Sunday afternoon. Miss Ward read many interesting letters, and her talk was very instructive. There was a good audience.

Sale and Entertainment.

A successful sale and entertainment was held in St. Paul's parish house Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Girls' Friendly society.

The tables were in charge of the following:

Fancy table—Mrs. John H. Sutton, Miss Nellie Mitchell, Miss Blanche Hall.

Grab-bag—Miss Amy Walton and Miss Harriet Walton.

Homemade candy—Miss Nellie Murphy and Miss Nellie Mowat.

Ice cream—Miss Alice Drew.

The entertainment was in charge of Mrs. H. U. Munro, chairman; Miss Blanche Hall, Miss Minnie Goff, Miss Ida Christensen. Piano solos, vocal selections, violin solos and readings were rendered in a pleasing manner.

Birthday Party.

On Wednesday afternoon Miss Anna C. Harraden very pleasantly entertained at her home a party of little friends from Andover and town, the occasion being her third birthday. At 4 o'clock a dainty collation was served, and about 5 o'clock the party broke up, wishing the little hostess many happy returns of the day.

Grange Entertainments.

The Grange observed visitors' night Tuesday evening in Unitarian hall. A pleasing program was presented by Andover and West Boxford Granges. An excellent supper was served in connection with the affair.

The committee in charge was: James C. Poor, chairman; Calvin Rea, C. M. Paul, Mrs. Benjamin Farnham, Mrs. Albert Foss, and Mrs. Arthur Farnham.

Masonic Meeting.

An official visit was paid Coehobewick lodge, Friday evening, by Rt. Wor. George H. Perkins, D. D. G. M., of the 10th Masonic district, with Rt. Wor. Fred S. Smith, D. D. G. M. There were a number of out-of-town members present. An exemplification of the fellowcraft degree was given. After the communication an excellent supper was served.

Centre Sewing School.

On Saturday afternoon at 1.45 o'clock the girls of the Centre, Stevens Village, and vicinity, are requested to meet at the Union rooms. In addition to the first and second year grades an advanced class for older girls will be formed with an opportunity of learning how to make garments. Girls from all denominations are invited.

Marriage.

In Andover, Saturday, Oct. 12, at the residence of Mr. William H. McTernan, by Rev. Frederic Palmer, Mr. John Walter Brown of Wakefield and Miss Ida May McTernan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. McTernan of Andover.

Miss Mabelle Fay Kingsley of Lawrence has been appointed organist at the Andover Baptist church, Miss Lee, the former organist having resigned.

Monster Squashes.

One of the most unique contests ever conducted in Lawrence was brought to a close at the "Home of Honest Values", this week, when the enterprising firm of Bicknell Bros., announced the winners of their grand "Squash Contest."

The contest was inaugurated May 21, when the following self-explanatory circulars were sent to the farmers of Methuen, Andover, North Andover and Lawrence:

Lawrence, Mass., May 21, 1907.

Dear Sir:

We want the farmers and gardeners of Essex County to find out what a good clothing store this is and how reasonable the prices are.

In order to get you to visit our store and get acquainted, we've adopted a "Squash Growing Contest" as follows: You'll find enclosed a few seeds of the Mammoth Chili Squash.

Prize No. 1—To the person bringing to our store the largest squash grown from these seeds on or before October 1, we will give free one of our famous \$10.00 suits.

Prize No. 2—To the person bringing the next largest squash we will give a pair of \$3.00 trousers.

Special prize—To the person who will grow the best imitation of our signature (Bicknell Bros.) in any size, we will give one of our celebrated Essex Derby Hats.

BICKNELL BROS.

The terms of the contest were satisfactory to all and from the day that the notices were sent out, right up to the very end, there has been a great deal of interest displayed to see which farmer was the one that would win.

The rivalry grew keener as the day for the contest to close drew nearer and the climax was reached when the first of October had arrived and all squashes were to be in the store of Bicknell Brothers on or before that day. Early Monday morning the farmers drove up to the store with their pride and before Tuesday night, the last day, the store began to take on the look of a farm house instead of a clothing store. The squashes were placed in several counters, the one in front of the establishment holding the largest in the collection. And there were some beauties among the lot.

At exactly 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the squashes were weighed. Representatives of the Lawrence Telegram and the Eagle acting as judges of the contest, did the weighing, and no partiality was shown. The largest squash grown was that of L. J. Lewis of Pelham, N. H., the squash weighing 69 1-2 pounds. The next nearest, and there was but very little difference between the two highest, was that grown by Henry J. Flint, Porter Road, of this town, and it weighed just one pound less, or 68 1-2 pounds. Others who submitted large squashes were John Cummings, Mountain View Farm, Andover, 55 pounds; A. Gebo, 350 Lowell street, Methuen, 54 1-2 pounds, and T. W. Coburn, Summer street, Methuen, 40 pounds.

The special prize was awarded to Master Albert Hall of Methuen, who cut the imitation of the firm name "Bicknell Brothers, Lawrence, Mass." in the growing squash, and he made almost an exact reproduction, which reflected great credit on the young man, who is only 11 years old. The novel innovation of Bicknell Brothers was a grand success and one worthy of repetition next year.

Obituary.

The following is taken from the Dedham Transcript of October 12:—

"J. Varnum Abbott, one of our most respected and prominent citizens, died suddenly of apoplexy last week Friday afternoon at the Second Council convention of the Republican party in Wesleyan Hall, Boston. Mr. Abbott had not been well for some time, and, shortly after the organization of the convention, he sank back into the arms of John B. Fisher of this town, by whose side he was seated. Despite the efforts of four physicians, he expired in a few moments.

"Mr. Abbott was born in Andover, June 7, 1836, and came of a prominent old Andover family, founded by George Abbot of Rowley. His grandfather was Captain Judethan Abbott, and his parents were Moody B. and Hannah V. (Noyes) Abbott. Mr. Abbott was one of seven children.

He was an attendant at Phillips Academy in his native town for three years, and, after graduation, worked for three more years as a clerk in a country store. He held a similar position in a Boston dry goods house for eighteen months.

"In 1857, he began learning the trade of a machinist at North Andover, entering the machine shops of Davis & Furber, manufacturers of woolen machinery. At the outset of the Civil War in May, 1861, a company of volunteer infantry was formed at North Andover, and Mr. Abbott was made its first sergeant, but, before the company could be mustered in the United States service, word came from the office of the Adjutant General that no more troops were needed at that time. The company was accordingly disbanded, and Mr. Abbott resumed his old occupation.

In 1862, he, however, enlisted as a private in Company A of the 33d Massachusetts Regiment. In December of 1862, he was honorably discharged. Returning to North Andover, he continued in the machine shop until 1864, when he entered the employ of the Grover and Baker Sewing Machine Company, remaining in that establishment until 1874.

"Then he came to Dedham and began the manufacture of loom pickers, strappings, and other leather goods, being the pioneer in that industry.

"Mr. Abbott was three times married. In 1857 he wedded Mary F. Frye of Andover, who died at the age of 20 years. His second wife was Mary J. Sutcliffe, also deceased. He is survived by Lucy J. (Regan) Abbott of Danvers, whom he married next. By his second wife, he had one daughter, Jennie E. By his last wife,

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Very best Delaware, Concord and Niagara Grapes.

Very best Tokay Grapes, 10c. lb. and 15c. lb., 2 lbs. for 25c.

Very best Grape Fruit, 2 for 25c.

Whole Figs, 20c. lb. Flat Figs, 15c. lb.

Very best Colorado Apples ever came to Andover.

Best Lemons, 15c. per dozen.

Best Peanuts, 5c. per pint, 6 pints for 25c.

A large variety of the very best Chocolates, Fancy Boxes, 25c.

Very best Olive Oil, direct from Italy, \$1.00 per quart.

MAIN STREET

DRAPER BLOCK

he had two more daughters, Mrs. Helen F. Drury and Mrs. Florence R. Copeland.

"Mr. Abbott was a strong Republican politically. He was an ex-member of the Dedham Republican town committee, and frequently had represented his party at its several conventions.

"In associations of various kinds, he was popular and always a leader. With him as a member, the organization had an excellent promoter, one who was constantly doing his utmost to advance its interests. This faculty of Mr. Abbott for earnest work was rewarded by the gifts of foremost offices to him. He was a regular attendant at the Episcopal church.

"The funeral service was held Monday afternoon from the house on Oakdale avenue. The attendance was very large and included many of the prominent citizens and present and past town officers and delegations from the Woman's Relief Corps of the County and all the several societies of which the deceased was a member.

"At the grave the beautiful burial rites of the Grand Army of the Republic were performed by Past Commander Wm. B. Gould, assisted by Chaplain Charles E. Lewis and Past Commanders William H. Clement, Richard H. Lincoln and Otis S. Guild. The ritual service of the Odd Fellows was also given. The final eulogy and benediction was given by Rev. Henry E. Barnes of Brookline, a close and personal friend of the deceased and chaplain of the Massachusetts State Department of the G. A. R.

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For a generation these meritorious instruments (one of Massachusetts' most famous products) have been strongly entrenched in the affections of music lovers throughout the world. Started in the smallest way, nearly thirty years ago, by men thoroughly devoted to their work, the development of this business has been a bright record in the piano-making history of the United States. Over 42,000 Ivers & Pond Pianos have been made and sold, and today this Company owns and operates one of the largest piano factories making only high-class pianos in the world.

Hundreds of educational institutions have chosen the Ivers & Pond Piano on account of its recognized merit. Those contemplating the purchase of a piano will advance their interests by communicating with the Ivers & Pond Piano Co., 114 Boylston street, Boston.

"The question is as to the intent of the law."

"That's easy; the intent of the law is to make business for the lawyers."

Obituary.

ELIZABETH R. CARTER.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Carter occurred this morning at 2 o'clock, and came as a great shock to those who have known her for the long time she has lived in Andover. Last Friday evening she complained of a pain in her head which grew worse. Nothing serious was contemplated, however, until later this week when her sufferings grew more intense. Medical aid was summoned and all that could be done for her was done by her son Frank who lives with her, and Mrs. Hattie Collins who stayed with her, but she passed away early this morning death being due to a hemorrhage of the brain.

The deceased, who was a well known resident of this town, was 60 years of age. Ten years ago she buried her husband, James O. Carter, and later a daughter Abbie, and grandfather their deaths aged her rapidly.

She is survived by four sons, J. Hiram, William O., George A., Frank S., and one daughter, Mrs. Sadie Russell of Roxbury.

The funeral will be held on Sunday at half-past one at the house, the services being conducted by Rev. F. A. Wilson of the Free Church.

Burial will take place in the family lot in Wilmington.

Association Football

The association football team journeyed to Quincy last Saturday and played a tie game with the Macgregors of that place, the score being 1 goal each at the finish of the game.

Andover won the toss and decided to play against the wind. In about two minutes after the start A. Black scored the first goal of the game with a pretty shot from the right, but he was called up for being offside. About five minutes after that Henry scored a goal for the "Macs" through a misunderstanding of the Andover backs. Ross scored two more goals for Andover but the referee only allowed him one of them.

Sterling, Ross, W. Black, Matthew and Munro played a star game for Andover.

The teams lined up as follows: Andover: Goal, Munro; backs, W. Black, Matthew; half backs, Sterling, Muir, R. Anderson; forwards, Falconer, A. Black, Clark, E. Anderson, Ross.

Macgregors: Goal, Malcolm; backs, Russell, Turnbull; half backs, McLeod, Henderson, Lewis; forwards, Petrie, Soller, Spence, McAllister, Henry, Seavey, Andover 1, Macgregors 1; goals, Ross, Henry. Lineupman, Croall, McDonald. Referee, R. Greives, time, 45 min halves.

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